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A Merry Christmas

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS AND CHRISTMAS THOUGHTS

Keep Up the Christmas Spirit---The Time-Honored Customs and Happiness-Giving Sentiments

THERE'S a song in the air,
There's a star in the sky,
There's a mother's deep prayer
And a baby's low cry,
And the star rains its fire while the beautiful sing,
For the manger of Bethlehem cradles a King.

THERE'S a tumult of joy
O'er the wonderful birth,
For the Virgin's sweet boy
Is the Lord of the earth.
Aye, the star rains its fire, and the beautiful sing,
For the manger of Bethlehem cradles a King.

"FOR THE MANGER OF BETHLEHEM CRADLES A KING."

IN the light of that star
Lie the ages empearled,
And that song from afar
Has swept over the world.
Every hearth is aflame, and the beautiful sing
In the homes of the nations that Jesus is King.

WE rejoice in the light,
And we echo the song
That comes down through the night
From the heavenly throng.
Aye, we shout to the lovely evangel they bring
And we greet in his cradle our Saviour and King.

Christmas greetings to you, each and all, readers of the Index-Tribune! A truly Merry Christmas to young and old!

Greetings to you, with the sincere wish that my favorite holiday—and the world's, too, for that matter—be generous and bring to you all a measure pressed down and filled to o'erflowing with a share of Health, and Happiness, and Prosperity!

We have anticipated its coming for so long, haven't we—this day [illegible]—this day that was made [illegible] loving thoughts, for joy and [illegible]ghter? And we're going to re[illegible], somewhat, looking up at the [illegible]kling Christmas stars in the [illegible]ome heavens, for when Night [illegible]ds Mother Earth in her em[illegible] it means that our beloved [illegible]mas has come and gone—that [illegible] dear secrets have been told—[illegible]t for another twelve-month [illegible]re to be whispered confer[illegible] or mysterious packages [illegible]away, to keep us wond'ring, [illegible], thrilling.

[illegible] upon mother or sister unexpectedly, and pretend a blissful indifference as the dear one guiltily gathers up in her apron a lapful of needlework, picking up, warily, meanwhile, bits of silk or worsteds; or, to watch husband, father or brotner steal softly up the stairs to hide away the gift that perhaps yes, more than likely—he's scrimped and saved for, but has bought with shining eyes, and that queer little thrill at the [illegible]t—oh, it is all to my liking, [illegible]'m glad, glad when Christmas comes with its fragrant evergreen, glowing holly and cheery greetings.

In the Christmas number of The Metropolitan, there's a delightful Christmas story, told in the most charming Christmassy way, and I have taken a couple of paragraphs therefrom because they so graphically describe the true Christmas spirit. Here they are:

"No power on earth, fortunately, can keep old Christmas from celebrating us!—Why, just the SMELL of it!—The woodsy-sweet! — The magic!—The tinkle of sleigh-bells! —The clatter of little hoofs!—The snort of reindeer! Oh, you can shut your heart all you want to, to Christmas, but you can't shut your nostrils to it! War in the world—or sins—or hunger—or anything—Christmas is just plain—naturally obliged—to smell of—peppermint candy and English-colored magazines and brand new sleds.

"Why Christmas is a feeling that has to begin way back in the hot, hot, green summer— some quite accidental woodsy day—when you first catch the scent of the new balsam buds. It's got to be a long, long ache—all the love you've got in the world dumped down into one side of the scales—with only just about twenty-five cents in your pocket to counteract that awful list in the balance!

"August, you've got to begin your holiday sweetmeats! September, your hands are all pricked up with 'broidery things! The very first frost in October turns your heart to tinsel! November, it's scarcely hard at all to give up the new fur cap you thought you'd die without! By December every telephone ring sounds like a reindeer's sleighbells! And every time you meet your friends it seems as though you could hug their heads off and with tears, too—'cause you LOVE them so, and haven't any way to prove it, except by some silly little darn-fool token."

Oh, it is all true—every blessed word of it, the above culling, isn't it, reader, dear? We just can't get away from Christmas, can we? Each returning year the hearts of us thrill with that yearning, that gladness and joyousness that comes only with the anniversary of the day on which the Christ Child was born in a lowly manger in Bethlehem.

Who among us, even the most practical, would wish to have the loved holiday ignored? Christmas is not, as a matter of fact, just a custom;—it is in reality an instinct, which prompts us to acts of self-sacrifice for those near and dear to us: when mother dear remodels the [illegible]n of past fashion, and patient father brushes up last year's overcoat for another season's wear so that little stockings may be filled and bright eyes sparkle with happiness when wak'd by the Christmas sunshine. Think you that mother or father would experience satisfaction or happiness by banishing from out their home and hearts the interchange of gifts, the joys, the gladness, the beautiful sentiment of the Christmas-tide? No, never! Love that is true, and pure and worth while finds the greatest happiness in occasional self-sacrifice.

Life is practical, prosaic, enough at best—with all too few seeds of kindliness, encouragement and good will scattered along the way. So, don't let us become too practical; don't let us rob exisitence of these beloved customs and tender sentiments; let us cling to all—oh, yes, to ALL—every time-honored custom and sentiment that sustains Faith and Hope and Love.

Gladden somebody's heart today, reader, dear—smile greetings on all you meet: then, indeed, will yours be a joyous, heart-satisfying, Merry Christmas, and that is what is wished for each and every one of her readers by

BETSY JANE.

Enjoyable Event

Union Hall was thronged last Saturday night with big and little folk, assembled to enjoy the entertainment arranged by the Sonoma Moose Social Club, and the fete was so replete with pleasure that it will live a delightful memory to all who were present.

The shouts of pleasure from the happy-hearted youngsters on their entering the hall, and viewing the immense tree, beautiful in its trimmings of shimmering gold and silver tinsel, its vari-colored lights and other pretty decorations, were, in great measure, a meed of thanks to the organization which had been so generous in thought and lavish of hand in providing Christmas gladness for the children and an evening of entertainment for their elders.

There was a suitable gift for every child under twelve years of age, and an abundance of candy. Appetizing refreshments were also served to old and young.

'A word in passing in compliment to the committee of gentlemen who arranged the function—Messrs. P. Robin, Wm. Russell, Thos. Lewis, E. Coates, F. Price, E. Castagnasso and C. Weisshaar.

The event was certainly one of the best managed ever given in Sonoma. Throughout the evening the floor was kept in perfect condition for dancing by Messrs. Russell and Coates, who were a host in themselves in contributing to the success of the evening.

Fine music was furnished for dancing by the Pauli-Jansen-Hansen Orchestra, and the floor was well managed by Leonard Thomas and Ed Peterson.

February Event

The last meeting of Sonoma Parlor of Native Sons for the year 1914, held Monday evening, bears record in the "Minute Book" of the decision of the fraternity to open the New Year by the extending of assistance to shelter the homeless children of brethren who have passed beyond.

February 22nd has been named by the Native Sons as the date on which will be given a benefit entertainment for these unfortunate little sons and daughters of Californian parenthood. The arrangement of the event has been given into the capable hands of Messrs. John Picetti, Roy Pauli and Chas. Groskopf, and these gentlemen will at once become active in planning for this February function a program of such excellence that a splendid financial and social success will be assured and a goodly sum realized to help the kiddies.

Sonoma Grammar Wins

The Washington Grammar Basket-Ball Team, of Petaluma, went down to defeat under the excellent playiug of the Sonoma Grammar School nine, at Union Hall, Friday night of last week. The home team gained the lead in the first half by the score of 15 to 12, and this success served as a splendid stimulus, putting the boys on their mettle. The second half witnessed some hard and fast playing, the local nine steadily keeping in the lead. At the end of the game the score stood 30 to 18. A return game is to be played in Petaluma in the near future, in which, so they declare, the Petaluma nine will be victorious. We-l-l, perhaps so. How about it, Sonomas?

New Year Ball

"Ring out the old, ring in the new!"—merrily, joyously, with cordial, heartfelt greetings, and the interchange of good wishes for friend and stranger alike.

These are the especial features planned for the New Year's Eve Ball, to be given by the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club, and a combination so pleasure-giving cannot but result in assuring the success of the undertaking.

Mesdames H. J. Wicker, L. V. Emparan and A. W. Adler, who comprise the committee of arrangements, are planning pretty and effective decorations for the big dance hall, and we may expect a triumph in the decorative art from this trio of artistic ladies.

The pleasing innovation of lady floor managers will be an enjoyed novelty, and Mesdames McMullin and Adler will serve admirably in this capacity.

The music on this occasion will be especially good, as the Pauli-Hansen Orchestra is to be augmented. Modern dancing is to be permitted in moderation, which will mean that pleasure is not to be curtailed in anywise.

And right here, we venture the suggestion that a few of Sonoma Valley's modern dance lovers will do well to be more discreet in the indulgence of the pastime. As a matter of fact, "ragging" is neither graceful nor restful when executed by the most conservative of dancers, but properly danced it is not altogether objectionable. It is to be hoped that on this occasion the privilege will not be abused, thus rendering the duty of the floor managers a pleasure, void of any disagreeable features.

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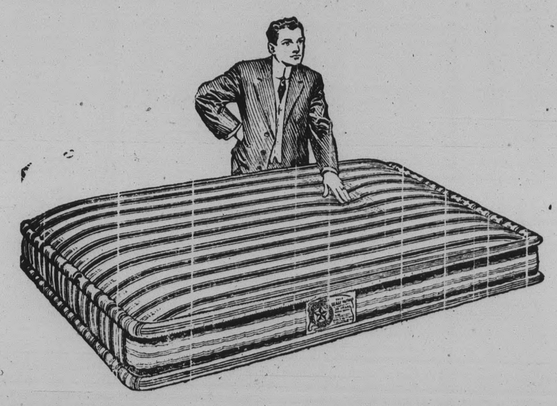

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Special Dispatch From Santa Claus' Own Country to His Little Kiddies All Over the Whole World

ARCTIC REGIONS, Dec. 6.—The center of the giant glacier has been hollowed out into a monster cave and is serving as a factory for making tree ornaments. It is being run on a very much better system than it was last year, having two shifts of workers, with 10,000 gnomes in each shift. The day workers come on at 6 a. m. and stay until 6 p. m. One band of toilers sleeps while the other works.

Each of the workers sits squat upon the floor in front of a blazing fire, over which is suspended a huge black caldron. Each little fellow has a long stemmed pipe with which he blows bubbles of the substance which sizzles and boils in the huge pot before him.

The boiling substance is a liquid made of melted precious stones. Millions of dollars' worth of priceless jewels are being imported into the north pole regions for this purpose.

Each caldron boils a different jewel. The melted rubies make blood red bubbles that gleam like flames. The diamonds make white ones, bright and shining like great, round stars. Sapphires turn into deep blue spheres, turquoises make pale blue balls that look like the summer sky, and so on. As the bubbles grow to the desired size the workmen shake them gently off their pipes on the ice floor. Here they are allowed to rest until they are frozen into hard, round, shiny, wonderfully colored bright balls to hang on kiddies' Christmas trees. It is estimated that one man can make 500 finished ornaments in a day.

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Mines Give Output of Gold to Make Tinsel.

The great Klondike gold mines are being worked day and night to supply the demands of another room of the great glacier, where thousands of workers sit stringing strips of shredded gold on threads to make tinsel trimmings for the trees. They wear great spectacles on the ends of their little round noses, for this work is a great strain on the eyes. Each string is one mile long, and each gnome completes three of these a day.

Silver tinsel is also made in the same way. The fashion in tree trimming demands the lavish use of this gorgeous adornment.

No Storerooms For Santa Claus.

Santa has no need for storerooms in which to stack his finished toys and tree decorations. The demand is so great and so immediate that directly things are finished they are packed, loaded on to immense sleighs and shipped to special stations which he has situated in every city all over the world and usually in such places as department stores or toy and candy shops. Sometimes when all these places are filled he even hides them in odd corners of people's houses. That is how it comes that one often accidentally will find things tucked away in the most unusual places.

Years ago he would use his reindeer to carry the loaded sleighs to stations, and often they were so worn out by overwork that they were unfit for driving on Christmas eve. But now it is quite different. Since motor trucks have come into use Santa has bought 328 to do this heavy work for him.

Something ought to be told the kiddies of the character and habits of the little toilers who make their toys. They are an entirely different kind of creatures from any which we, who do not live at the north pole, have ever seen.

They are very small of stature, with large heads and queer elfin faces. We would call them gnomes or elves, but Santa calls them tobies. They have bright, mischievous eyes which dance with delight over their pretty handiwork, the merriest laughs and sweetest little voices which keep up a continuous accompaniment to their tasks.—New York Evening World.

PLANT A CHRISTMAS TREE.

A correspondent of the Cleveland Plain Dealer offers a timely and pertinent idea that should commend itself to many readers. It refers to the use of Christmas trees after the day's festivities are over.

In explanation of her plan she offers the following clipping from Good Housekeeping:

"An eastern city carried out an idea last year that might well be imitated by any progressive organization of women. After New Year's wagons went from house to house to collect all the Christmas trees. These were taken to the public squares. Sharpened on the ends, they were thrust into the ground in artistic groups and clumps of varying heights. In some cases they act as wind shields for the growing shrubs and evergreens. In every case, though but temporary tenants, they make attractive, restful beauty spots for the eye. Compare this with the fate of Christmas trees in your neighborhood. After a short week of tinseled splendor they are often left in the alleyways or litter up the back yard for weeks."

This interesting question is added:

"Certainly the Christmas trees in the southwest corner of the square are a great improvement to it, and no one who sees them can help wishing that they might grow there all the year round. They talk of improving this corner. Why not plant some little evergreen trees?"

Worth considering, isn't it?

COSTLIEST CHRISTMAS GIFT.

Morgan's Present to His Son Was a House, For Which He Paid $600,000.

It was the late J. Pierpont Morgan who gave the costliest present ever bestowed in New York on a Christmas eve, says the Broadway Magazine. The gift, to his son, was a brownstone pile of a hundred rooms, with fifteen rooms for servants on the top floor, at the corner of Thirty-sixth street and Madison avenue. The deed of gift contained twice the name of J. Pierpont Morgan, for the financier presented the third house in the Morgan colony on Madison avenue to his son. On one corner stands the original Morgan mansion, flanked on the right by the magnificent marble museum and art gallery filled with treasures gathered by the elder Morgan from among the great art storehouses of Europe. Next to the Morgan homestead stands the home of Mrs. Herbert Satterlee, Mr. Morgan's daughter, and adjoining Mrs. Satterlee's home is the home of J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., the costliest present ever made on the island of Manhattan, representing an expenditure of $600,000.

After houses, in the esteem of those upon whom Christmas rains a golden shower, rank automobiles. A giant motorcar, whose ordinary speed is a mile in two minutes and costing $16,000, is a mere bagatelle to a spoiled beauty who tires of her motors as when a pampered little beauty she tired of her dolls. She wants ever a larger, faster and more wonderful car, and it was in obedience to her wish that the car as large as a Harlem flat, with folding bed, table and separate compartments, came into being and added to the family expenditures $27,000.

And after automobile architects the jewelers. Diamond tiaras at $100,000, the salesmen in the diamond houses say, are not uncommon purchases at Yuletide.

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A Merry Christmas to Our Subscribers and Readers

We have timed this week's issue, in order to wish all our readers, subscribers and advertisers a Merry Christmas.

During the past year, we all have not been as lucky or prosperous as we expected or should have been. Others no doubt, have been prosperous and in some instances, lucky.

By this time in 1915, the management of the Index-Tribune sincerely wishes that all those who consider they have not been fortunate, will have had their wishes for future success fulfilled, and to those who have had success, that same continue infinitely.

Let us all awaken on Christmas morn, smiles on our faces and with determination in our hearts that all the gloom has been placed in the shadows and from this day on we shall be reigned over by Happiness and Success.

Why Bridge Accidents Are Unknown on the Southern Pacific Railroad

On the Pacific System of the Southern Pacific Company, there are over six thousand bridges, aggregating more than 695,000 feet, or about one hundred and thirty-one miles. During the past thirty years the Company has built an average of one steel bridge per month; and in the entire history of the Southern Pacific not one passenger has lost his life in a bridge accident, this result being obtained by eternal vigilance and through constant inspection and proper construction of the structures,

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Inspection is both careful and regular. Daily, the track walkers examine the structures. At regular periods, in addition, they are successively gone over by the bridge and building supervision and the engineer of each division, by the assistant general and general bridge inspectors of the system and once a year again by the assistant general manager in their annual inspection. They are constantly in the care of employes trained through long experience. On the Southern Pacific many special devices have been worked out, like the new guard rail, which are daily contributing to expediting the movement of trains and conserving lives and property of the company's patrons and employes.

Two million and a half miles are covered each year by the track walkers who patrol the right of way of the Southern Pacific Company. Each day every one of the seven thousand miles is gone over piecemeal. Roadbed, tracks, switches, bridges and trestles, culverts, signals, everything, is carefully scrutinized that trains may move along quickly and with safety. On straight tracks, where there is no danger of being struck by trains, the track walker rides on a velocipede. Where there are many curves or train service is frequent, he walks on foot.

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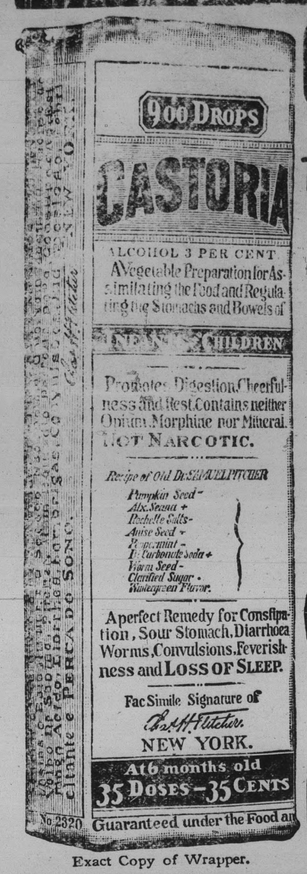
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7.18 A M 3.40 P M	Guerneville and Intermediates.	6.59 A M

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F. L. WRIGHT,
President.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma

HARRY H. GRANICE
Plaintiff,
vs.
Guy F. Fling, also known as Guy Freeman Fling, John Doe and Richard Roe, and also all persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownerhip or any cloud upon the plainiiff's title thereto,
Defendants.

J. W. FORD
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma

The people of the State of California send greeting to:
Guy F. Fling, also known as Guy Freeman Fling John Doe and Richad Roe, and also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaintadverse to the plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon the plaintiff's title thereto.

Defendants.

The Plaintiff above named has brought an action against you, and each of you, in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as above, and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is ex officio Clerk of said Court.

And you are and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within said County; and if served elsewhere and without said County, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as above required, said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

The real property affected by said action is situate laying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, tate of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Lot Number 41, as known and described on the Official Map of said City, and running thence Easterly along Napa Street 7 feet and 10 inches to an iron stake; thence Northerly 240 feet; thence Westerly 71 feet and 10 inches; thence Southerly 240 feet to the point of beginning.

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said Defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands

2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said Defendants, and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the sad Plaintiff's ownership thereof, shall be determined.

3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands, and that said Defendants, all and singular, have no estate in or to said lands or any part thereof

4. To have said Defendants, all and singular, by said Court, forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands, adverse to said plaintiff

5. And to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said Court seem meet

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 28th. day of September, A. D. 1914.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, Jr.
County Clerk.
By L. J. WINANS
Deputy Clerk.

NEWS NOTES BRIEFLY TOLD

Movements of Sonoma Valley Residents and Their Friends —Other Local Notes of General Interest.

Dr. W. B. Hays was a week-end visitor in the bay cities.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Wagner were holiday-week visitors in San Francisco.

J. A. Kistle was a well-known business man in the metropolis, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Hansen are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives in San Francisco.

The Misses Mary Springer and Zoleta Bates were popular Sonoma girls to visit in San Francisco last Saturday.

City Trustee Chas. B. McDevitt of the Mission Garage and chief assistant, Joe Andrieux, were San Francisco visitors, Tuesday.

Manager Ralph Evans, of the California Light and Telephone Company, is enjoying Christmas with his relatives in Santa Rosa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Woodworth are enjoying the Christmas holidays with relatives in San Francisco. A family reunion is to be held at the home of the lady's sister, Mrs. N. Davis.

Miss Kate McDonell, the very competent librarian of the Sonoma Carnegie Library, is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of her brother, J. P. McDonell, in Sebastopol.

Warren Brown, who holds a good position with the North Pacific Coast Steamship Company, San Francisco, is here spending the holidays with his father, Rev. Edwin F. Brown.

Mrs. George Zane was a guest at the home of her brother, City Trustee C. E. Johnson, during the week, coming here from Woodland to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. James M. Cheney.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lutgens are spending the Christmas holiday at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Hund, in Ross Valley. Mrs. Hund is the sister of our esteemed townsman, who anticipates the reunion with much pleasure.

Miss Florence Green is enjoying a respite from her High School studies in San Francisco and is spending the holidays at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Green. Miss Florence is to assist in the choir at the Christmas service in St. Francis' Church.

Owners of dogs should not forget that on and after January 1st the license will be two dollars per year instead of one dollar as heretofore. Call on City Marshal J. A Albertson within the week and pay for the privilege of retaining your pets within the city limits, and save a dollar.

Charles Cheney, who had been summoned here by the death of his mother, Mrs. James M. Cheney, left for his home in Sparks, Nevada, Tuesday afternoon. The health of Mrs. Cheney, who is a daughter of Sonoma's well-known citizen, A. Durrant, did not permit of her accompanying her husband on his sad mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Appleton, Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Gottenberg, and Mrs. Carrie A. Burlingame departed for Berkeley, Thursday, to be present at the family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Appleton, over the Christmas holiday. Mrs. Burlingame will remain away until after New Year's, enjoying the New Year's Eve festivities with friends in San Francisco.

Mrs. A. H. Bates, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bates and daughters, the sses Nancy and Zoleta, Mr. and . A. W. Adler and children, Irma and Master Leland, Pauline McMullin and son nake up a jolly family party ing the Christmas holidays in Francisco, as the guests of nd Mrs. Clarence Nauman. union will certainly prove are pleasure.

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STORIA

F. CLEWE

Extends to the citizens of Sonoma his best wishes for a Merry 'Xmas and a Happy, Prosperous New Year.

WHAT OUR NEAR-BY NEIGHBORS ARE DOING

FROM VINEBURG

Readers of the Index-Tribune will miss the weekly budget of Vineburg news from the pen of clever, original "Easy Jim," our faithful and valued correspondent "Easy Jim" is enjoying a respite from literary duties, this very busy holiday week, but he'll be on hand next week with a newsy column. To his many friends and readers—and who on our list doesn't read and enjoy that Vineburg gossip?—"Easy Jim" sends cordial greetings and wishes for all a very Merry Christmas. Accompanying the holiday message were the following verses, which, so "Easy Jim" believes, and rightly, too, will be enjoyed by his readers:

JES' BECAUSE IT'S CHRIS'MUS

Jes' because it's Chris'mus
I go smilin' on my way,
An' jes' because it's Chris'mus
I am kindly-like an' gay.
I'm full o' human kindness
An' as thoughtful as can be;
I develop total blindness
To the faults I used to see.

Jes' because it's Chris'mus
I forgot that I'm depressed,
An' I say whatever happens
Is, by all means, for the best.
An' my thoughts for every brother
That I meet are sweet an' good,
An' I wouldn't skin a rival.
Even if I thought I could.

Jes' because it's Chris'mus
I don't think about my debts,
An' the biggest of my worries
Brings to me no vain regrets.
I am sort o' tuned to gladness,
An' I go upon my way
As though nothin' ever happened
Worth a minute of dismay.

Now, my burdens are no lighter
When I come to Chris'mus day,
An' my troubles are no fewer,
An' no smoother is my way,
Than they were in bleak November.
Yet I seem to think 'em so,
An' jes' because it's Chris'mus
I am smilin' as I go.

If I can laugh at Chris'mus
An' cheer my fellow-men,
Why can't I laugh in April,
Why not be merry then?
If I can bear my burdens
When it's Chris'mus with a smile
Why can't I face my troubles
In the same way all the while?

Why must I go repinin'
An' whimperin' along
An' blind to all men's goodness,
Seein' only what is wrong,
Till the year is slippin' from me,
An' then suddenly declare
When it gets around to Chris'mus
That there's goodness everywhere?

Exchange.

Captain H. Heinke, chief officer of the United States Steamship Mars, paid an unexpected visit to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Adler, Sunday last. Captain Heinke and Mr. Adler are old-time friends, the former gentleman having spent several months at the Adler home about twelve years ago, hence the meeting was fraught with much pleasure.

Monday next, December 28th, has been set by Judge Emmet Seawell for the opening of the ballots cast at the November election for recounting, to decide the Ryan-Smith contest for sheriff. During this recount, the contest instituted by Judge James Campbell, against Lester Small, for Justice of the Peace of Sonoma Township, will also be conducted.

Many of the dance-lovers of Sonoma are busily at work fashioning costumes for the Grand Masquerade Ball, to be given by Glen Ellen Parlor of Native Sons, at Chauvet Hall, Saturday night of next week, January 2nd. As the dance is for the benefit of homeless children of Native Sons, it should and undoubtedly will be largely attended.

SCHELLVILLE NEWS

Adam Adler, of Sonoma, motored through here on Wednesday.

E E. Bennett transacted business in San Francisco on last Saturday.

Mrs. Jas. A. Tate spent Tuesday enjoying holiday shopping in San Francisco.

Jack Watt, of Oakland, was visiting the Millerick home from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. R L. Watt was in San Francisco, Saturday, combining business with pleasure.

Mrs. C. Biersworth and Miss H. Johnson, of Glen Park, spent last Tuesday at the ranch of Miss Johnson.

Little Anabel Rose, who spent the summer with Los Angeles relatives, is home for 'Xmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rose.

Edgar Clements is here from Berkeley to enjoy the holidays His mother, Mrs Clements, went to San Francisco for a brief visit on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steiger, of Caliente, and the Misses Anita and Laura Semino, of Wingo, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Erhard Steiger.

Miss Alice Hellman, who had been spending a few weeks at the hospitable Landsborough home, returned to her home in San Rafael, Saturday last

Miss Kate Wilber, our school teacher, left Tuesday for Sacramento, where she expects to spend her well-earned vacation visiting friends and relatives.

The San Luis school closed Friday, Dec. 18th, and great credit is due our efficient teacher, Miss Kate Wilber, for the manner in which the Christmas exercises were carried out. The children did wonderfully well. Peace rings for deportment were awarded to Margaret Helberg, Margaret Gilfoyle, Emma Schaffer, Evelyn Steiger and Mildred Stone. The children were provided with plenty of candy and Christmas cards

The Christmas exercises of the Tule Vista Sunday School were held Tuesday evening at the Tule Vista school house. The hours were pleasantly spent in singing, and many of the children rendered poems pertaining to the holiday and Santa Claus Santa, laden with candy, happened in, too, and there was no end of mirth. Great credit is due Miss Alice Saylor for the arrangement and success of the exercises.

HAPPY JACK.

BRING NEWS IN EARLY.

Although dated for its regular publication day, Saturday, Dec. 28, the Index-Tribune is placed in the hands of its readers Christmas Eve in order that we may extend to friends and patrons Yuletide greetings, and also permit the staff to enjoy the holiday. Next week's issue will greet our readers New Year's Eve, if unforseen accidents do not prevent, hence we ask that news items or change of advertisements be sent in not later than Wednesday. We shall also endeavor to give a complete list of the ladies who intend receiving New Year's Day, and we ask that those who are to maintain the enjoyable custom of "keeping open house" to send in their names early in the week.

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RETURN FROM BRIDAL TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Fisk (nee Miss Marjorie Buchan) arrived home, Saturday night, from their bridal trip, preparatory to spending the holidays with Mrs. K. E. Buchan at Bungalow Isnola. On Monday evening about thirty young people pleasantly surprised the happy twain and spent a few hours in giving them a hearty welcome home.

Music, vocal and instrumental, was rendered and delicious refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisk were assisted in receiving and entertaining by the bride's mother and aunt, Mrs. Buchan and Mrs. Julius E. Poppe, Those present spent a very jolly evening and left at a late hour, after offering their wishes to the young couple for a happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisk will leave after New Year's Day for San Francisco, where they will reside temporarily.

JOLLY DANCE AT WATMAUGH

A most enjoyable time was had by those fortunate enough to be present at the dance at Watmaugh School House last Saturday night. Games were also played and at midnight an appetizing repast was served by the ladies in charge. Mrs. Nelson acted as chaperon and jovial Bill Teeling was floor manager.

Among those present were: Mesdames Cannon and Nelson; Misses Josephine Kennel, A. J. Young, Carola Felder, Florence Carpenter, R. McDaniel, Irene, Inez, Vivian and E. R. Douglass, Mary Moss, May Young, Julia Murphy, Rena Irwin, Dorothy Huning; Messrs. Victor, I. and A. Leveroni, Oswald Miller, Wm. J. Teeling, R. Cannon, Harold McPhedrain, Richard Castelberry, Ed Hanley, L. Felder, C. S. Ganzini, Manuel Leveroni of Petaluma, Thomas Gaffney, Roy Parker, J. Zeek, R. E. Anderson, Archie and Vernon Douglass.

E. R. D.

Wanted a Younger Santa Claus.

"Please appoint a younger Santa Claus," wrote an eight-year-old Illinois girl to Postmaster General Burleson. "Grandpa says he used to come to his house when he was a little boy, so he must be pretty old by this time, and I'm afraid he's too old to come to my house."

Mr. Burleson wrote to her that a personal representative of Santa Claus would attend to her wants.

Father Christmas.

Here comes old Father Christmas
With sound of fife and drums.
With mistletoe about his brows
So merrily he comes!
His arms are full of all good cheer;
His face with laughter glows;
He shines like any household fire
Amid the cruel snows.
He is the old folks' Christmas.
He warms their hearts like wine,
He thaws their winter into spring
And makes their faces shine.
Hurrah for Father Christmas!
Ring all the merry bells
And bring the grandsires all around
To hear the tale he tells

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SPECIAL CATHOLIC CHRISTMAS SERVICE

Two Masses will be celebrated in St. rancis' Catholic Church on Christmas Day—the first at seven o'clock. a. m., and the last Mass at 10:30 o'clock.

At this service, Th. LaHache's "Mass in F" will be sung by a choir composed of the following-named: Soprano: Mrs. Lulu V. Emparan, Mrs. P. Yenni, Misses May Walsh, Albina Eraldi, Irene Nessi, Nora Mullen, Josephine Kennell, and Marguerite Caminata; alto: Mrs. J. Fochetti, Misses May Kearney, Matilda Baccala, Florence Green and Angelina Marmori; basso: Alfred T. Jansen, M. Catelani, Joe Kearney and John Dowdall.

During the service, Mrs. Lulu V. Emparan will render the "Incarnatus," and Adams' "Noel" and the "Agnus Dei" will be sung by Mr. Jansen.

Mass will be celebrated at nine o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Glen Ellen, on Christmas Day.

A cordial invitation to attend these Christmas services is extended the public.

ANNUAL SEED DISTRIBUTION

Congressman William Kent has issued an announcement relative to the annual seed distribution, in which he says:

"The annual allotment of flower and vegetable seed by the Department of Agriculture to members of Congress has been made, and I shall be glad to send an assortment to those residents of the First Congressional district making specific request for them Since variety and quality of seed are matters left to the discretion of the department, it may be impossible to send the varieties asked for, and in such cases some other variety will be substituted. I shall not send seed except on request, in order that only those who will use the seed may receive them."

The Index-Tribune has received, through Congressman Wm. Kent, an assortment of vegetable seed for free distribution to its readers, and as the supply sent us is rather limited, it will be well for those wishing seed to call early, in order that more may be secured from Washington if needed.

This opportunity should be taken advantage of, as the seeds of many beautiful flowers and bulbous plants may be secured.

THE BEST CHRISTMAS GIFT

How many parents will read this and agree with us that the best Christmas Gift that they can make for a son or a daughter, is a scholarship in the Santa Rosa Business College? A business education will be appreciated more than trinkets, trifles, or even valuable presents. It is something that cannot be stolen, destroyed, or taken away. It serves a lifetime and is the foundation of prosperity and success.

The coming year we shall need at least one hundred more graduates to fill positions offered. We are now having calls, impossible for us to fill for want of qualified graduates.

Will you be one of the hundred? Write for circulars. The next term opens Monday, January 4, 1915.

Reports Issued.

The Interstate Commerce Commission has placed at the disposal of Congressman William Kent, from this District, fifteen copies of its 28th Annual report, which he will be glad to forward on request, as long as his supply lasts. This report is particularly interesting to those connected with railroad work and to lawyers handling questions pertaining to common carriers.

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Congregational Church
(T. M. PRICE, Pastor.)

Sunday morning worship at 11 o'clock.

The Christian has a great task with a great reward for faithful performance. Billy Sunday held a Men's Meeting and told them they wo'l all be Christians if they were men enough to carry it through. He made them very angry. There is no sex in the right. It is a job to fix your eye on Jesus and live in the look. We do not do it as we sho'd and hence there is failure in the Christian life in male and female. It is better to have tried and fail, than not to have tried at all. It is true that a man making failures is better than a man not trying, if he tries to be a producer of righteousness. Come to Sunday worship and begin the year trying to keep faith in God.

Mid-week service on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Y. P. S C. E meeting will be at 6:30 p. m. Evervone is invited to attend. It will be conducted by Mrs. Arthur Fisk.

Evening worship will be held at 7:30 o'clock.

Every human being in Sonoma may be a source of public good. They may scatter sunshine and disperse shadows. They can fill old age with the laughter of youth and make youth as wise as hoary heads. There are few people on the job in town. I have a message to the town in this service. Come out and get your new place for the Exposition Year.

Methodist Episcopal Church
(EDWIN FRANCIS BROWN, Pastor)

Sunday School at 10 o'clock, a. m; Rev H W. Waltz superintendent

Public worship at 11 a m. and 7:30 p. m.

Epworth League devotional meeting at 6 30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Trinity Episcopal Church.
(J. HENRY OEHLHOFF, Rector.)

Sunday School at ten o'clock.
Morning prayer at eleven o'clock.
Evening Prayer at five o'clock.

St. Francis' Catholic Church.
(T. M. COMERFORD, Pastor.)

Mass will be celebrated in Sonoma at 10:30 a m.

Mass will be celebrated at Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m.

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Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma. In the Matter of the estate of CHARLES GENTRY, deceased.

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order duly made by said Court on the 15th day of June, 1914, in the matter of the estate of Charles Gentry, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said court, on

Monday, the 4th day of January 1915,

at the hour of eleven o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, at the Fourth Street entrance to the Sonoma County Court House, at Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California, all the right, title interest and estate of said Charles Gentry, at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has acquired, by operation of law or otherwise, other than or in addition to that of said deceased at the time of his death, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and particularly described as follows, and as the same is designated upon the official map of Hughes Chicken Colony No. One and filed with the Recorder of Sonoma County, State of California.

Lot Four, Block "A" together with the improvements thereon.

The interest of deceased in the above described property being a contract for the purchase thereof. The total purchase price was $4,600.00, upon which has been paid the sum of $1381.50, leaving a balance of $218.50 to be paid on said contract. The contract calls for the payment of $16.00 per month, no interest on deferred payments, except on installments in arrears. No payments have been made on said contract since March, 1913;

The said contract may be seen upon application at the office of the District Attorney, in the Court House at Santa Rosa, Sonoma County, California.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, in gold coin of the United States; ten per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance upon confirmation of sale by said Superior Court, and the delivery of a conveyance.

FRANK L. BLACKBURN,
Administrator of the estate of Charles Gentry, deceased.
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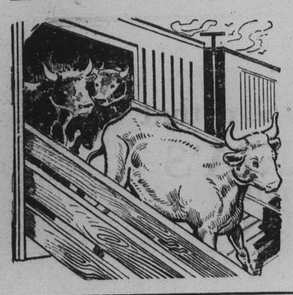

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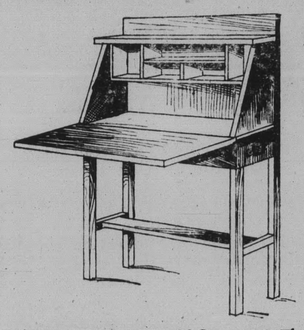

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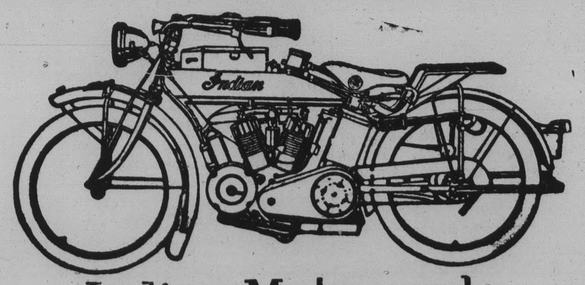

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VS.

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SUMMONS.

ROBERT A. POPPE and R. F. CRAWFORD, Attorneys for Plain

THIS ACTION is brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma State of California, and the complaint in said action is filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County, who is Ex-Officio Clerk of said Court.

The People of the State of California send greeting to;

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The Plaintiff above named has brought an action against you, and each of you, in the Superior Court, in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, entitled as above and has filed the complaint in said action in the office of the county clerk of said county, who is ex-officio clerk of said court.

And you are and each of you is, hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in said action within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; and if served elsewhere and without said county, then within thirty days after service of same upon you.

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer as as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the said Court for any relief demanded in the Complaint.

The real property affected by said action is situate, laying and being in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to wit:

First: Part of Lot No 35, on the East side of the Plaza of Sonoma, beginning at a point in the westerly line of said lot at the Southwest corner of land formerly owned by Lorenzo Modini, and running thence southerly along and with said westerly line of said lot a distance of seventy-three (73) feet to a point; thence easterly and parallel with the southerly line of said lot a distance of one hundred and nine (109) varas to the westerly line of lot No 36; thence Northerly along and with the westerly line of said lot No. 36, a distance of seventy-three (73) feet to a point, and thence westerly and parelled with the southerly line of said lot No 35 a distance of one hundred and nine (109) varas to the point of beginning.

Second: Part of lot No. 36, as designated on the official map of said City, commencing at the Northeast corner of lot No. 35, and running East, along the Street now called Spain Street 60 yards, and from thance in a Southerly direction 109 varas to the South line of said lot No. 36; thence in a westerly direction along the said south line, 60 yards to the Southwest corner of said lot No. 36; thence in a Northerly direction, along the west line of said Lot No. 36, 109 varas to the place of beginning

The object of said action is as follows:

1. To oblige the said Defendants to set forth the nature of their claims in and to said lands.

2. To obtain a decree of said Court whereby all claims of said Defendants, all and singular, in and to said lands, adverse to the said Plaintiff's ownership thereof shall be determined

3. To obtain a decree of said Court declaring and adjudging that said Plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of said lands and that said Defendants all and singular have no estate in or to said lands, or any part thereof.

4. To have said Defendants, all and singular, by said Court, forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said lands, adverse to said plaintiff.

5. To obtain an award and allowance by said Court to said Plaintiff of his costs in said action, and to obtain such other relief as in the premises shall to said Court seem meet.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California, this 22nd day of June, A. D. 1914.

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